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DATE PROCESSED :

5-29-03
ACH PAYMENT

PROCESSED BY : B.M.

Attached is the most current ACH Information

TC-2800

Tech Center 2882

TREASURY CHECK

The Most Current ACH Information Was

Requested From This Customer With The Purpose Of

Processing His Refund Request By Electronic Fund

Transfer(EFT). No EFT Information Was Received

Therefore, If Customer Is Due A Refund:

A CHECK WILL BE ISSUED.



CREDIT TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT

10049 800

This Request for Refund Will Be Processed By Crediting

Deposit Account Number 12-0080,

If Customer Is Due A Refund.

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT DESIGNATED OFFICE (DO/US)
(National Phase of International Appln.: PCT/GB00/03117,
Publication No. WO 01/12066 A2)

In re the
application of: **Robert Stephen COOKE, et al.**

International Application No.: **PCT/GB00/03117**

International Filing Date: **14 August 2000**

U.S. Serial No.: **10/049,800 (Conf. No. 6216)**

Filed in US: **February 15, 2002**

For: **PORTAL IMAGING DEVICE**

Attorney Docket No.: **FHW-100US**

Commissioner for Patents
Box 16
Washington, D.C. 20231

Attn: Refund Section
Accounting Division, Office of Finance

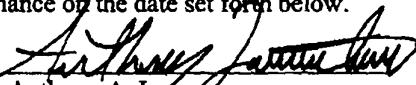
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March 13, 2003

Date of Signature and of Mail Deposit

By:


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REQUEST FOR REFUND

Dear Sir:

Applicants request a refund of \$1,970 charged to our Deposit Order Account No. 12-0080 on March 3, 2003.

Re: U.S.S.N 10/049,800

On November 19, 2002 Applicants' attorney filed a Response to Notification of Missing Requirements, a Request for Five-Month Extension of Time, and a Notice of Correction in Small Entity Status. This Response was not matched with the application, and a Notice of Abandonment dated January 13, 2003 was subsequently received from the U.S. Patent Office. On February 4, 2003 our Deposit Order Account No. 12-0080 was charged \$1,960 corresponding to the Request for Five-Month Extension of Time filed on November 19, 2002. Please note that an undated *Notification* from the U.S. Patent Office stating that the Notice of Abandonment had been vacated was received in our office on February 18, 2003. However, prior to receipt of this Notification, on February 14, 2003, Applicants' attorney filed a *Petition for Withdrawal of Holding of Abandonment of a Patent Application under 37 CFR 1.181* including a copy of the Response to Notification of Missing Requirements and Request for Five-Month Extension of Time filed on November 19, 2002. On March 3, 2003 a charge of \$1,970 was made to our Deposit Order Account No. 12-0080 for the same Request for Five-Month Extension of Time filed on November 19, 2002 and charged to our Deposit Order Account 12-0080 on February 4, 2003. We enclose a copy of our Firm's Deposit Order Account showing these charges.

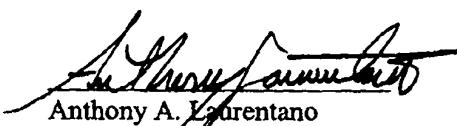
To support this request, Applicants' attorney encloses a complete copy of the *Petition for Withdrawal of Holding of Abandonment of a Patent Application under 37CFR 1.181* filed on February 14, 2003 and a copy of the *Notification* from the U.S. Patent Office stating that the Notice of Abandonment had been issued in error and was vacated.

Re: U.S.S.N 10/049,800

Since we have been charged twice for the five-month extension fee, Applicants' attorney respectfully requests that \$1,970 be credited to our **Deposit Account No. 12-0080**. For this purpose, we enclose a duplicate copy of this letter.

Respectfully submitted,

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Re: U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/049,800
Titled: "*PORTAL IMAGING DEVICE*"
Inventors: Robert Stephen Cooke *et al.*
International Filing Date: August 14, 2000
Attorney Docket No. FHW-1001US

Dear Sir:

I enclose herewith for filing in the above-identified application the following:

1. Response to Notification of Missing Requirements (2 pgs. in duplicate);
2. Executed Declaration, Petition and Power of Attorney (4 pgs.);
3. Copy of 371 Formalities Letter (2 pgs.);
4. Request for Five-Month Extension of Time (2 pgs. in duplicate);
5. Notice of Correction in Small Entity Status (2 pgs. in duplicate); and
6. Pre-paid acknowledgment postcard.

Please charge any necessary fees to our Deposit Account No. 12-0080. The undersigned requests any extensions of time necessary to respond. *A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.*

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Respectfully submitted,
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Robert Stephen COOKE et al.

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November 19, 2002

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By: Nelson Barros

**RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER
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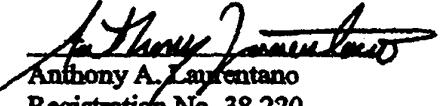
Responsive to the *Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US)* dated April 19, 2002 in connection with the above-referenced patent application, the response period to which is extended to November 19, 2002 by the enclosed Request for Five-Month Extension of Time, an executed *Declaration, Petition and Power of Attorney* is submitted herewith. A copy of the 371 Formalities Letter is also enclosed.

Re: U.S.S.N. 10/049,800
Conf. No. 6216

No fees are due with this submission. However, please charge any necessary fees to Deposit Account No. 12-0080. *A duplicate of this letter is enclosed.* If there are any questions, please call the undersigned at the telephone number indicated below.

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